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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINT, IZ, KU
SUBJECT: TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF IRAQI BORDER

REF: BAGHDAD 0283

1. PRESS AND MINISTRY OF INTERIOR SOURCES INDICATE THAT IRAQI
AUTHORITIES CLOSED THE KUWAIT - IRAQ BORDER FOR SOME TWELVE
HOURS DURING FEB 10 - 11 LOCAL WEEKEND, THEREBY INCONVENIENCING
SEVERAL HUNDRED KUWAITI TRAVELERS ON WEEKEND TRIPS TO BASRA.
LOCAL PRESS LINKED CLOSURE WITH EVENTS IN NAJAF SHARIF AND
KERBALA WHICH WERE GIVEN HEADLINE TREATMENT BASED ON IRAQI RADIO
BROADCASTS AND WIRE SERVICES STORIES. THERE HAS BEEN NO GOK
COMMENT.
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Message Attributes

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